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**Today, October 14, 2020**

**The Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost, October 18, 2020**

10:00 a.m.: Morning Prayer, Rite II

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*Image: Soichi Watanabe, We all are One in Jesus Christ, mixed media, 2009.*

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## Sunday Service

Join us for the Sunday service at 10:00 a.m. on Facebook Live. A video recording of the service will be available on YouTube following the live event, but will not be live this weekend.

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# Messages from St. Paul's

## Music Ministry Messages

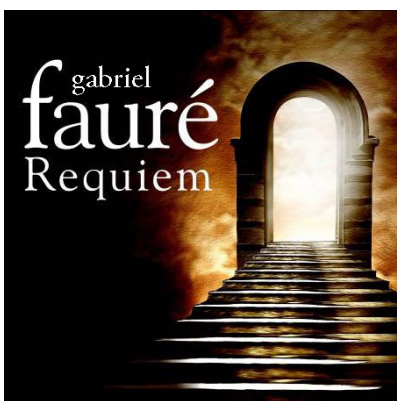
Christopher Buckley grew up at St. Paul's. He was also confirmed and baptized here. Over the years he has shared his ministry through music in so many ways. In this video, Christopher demonstrates and talks about the construction and evolution of the Scottish bagpipes. View the video on St. Paul's [YouTube](#) channel.

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## Wednesday Night Healing Service

Join us via Zoom live at 6:15 p.m. for a new, interactive, online service of healing and prayer. Tonight's commemoration is St. Teresa of Avila, a 16th century Spanish nun, author, and mystical theologian.

This "paperless" (no bulletin!) 30-minute contemplative service will include music and chant, Scripture, a reflection on the saint of the day, and an opportunity to lift up your hopes, needs, and concerns in a community of prayer.



## November Evensong Concert

In observance of All Saints Day, St. Paul's Music Guild is offering a performance of Gabriel Fauré's "Requiem" on November 1st at 4 p.m. An approved chamber group of musicians distanced and masked will offer this beloved masterpiece written in 1890. The concert will be streamed on St. Paul's [YouTube](#).

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## Wednesday Community Dinners

Community Dinners have returned. The order form and weekly dinner list is available [here](#). Donations welcomed to help cover the cost of meals, preparation, and delivery. Suggested donation amounts are \$5.00 per person or \$10.00 per family and can be made [here](#) (select Community Dinner in the menu) or mail a check with Community Dinner in the memo to St. Paul's.

The menu for Oct. 21, is Mediterranean Pork w/ couscous & herbed cucumber tomato salad. Dessert: Hazelnut & Olive Oil Shortbread.

**Please complete your order by Monday, October 19, at 11:59 p.m. to help us plan accordingly.**



## Zoom Coffee Class

**Special Guest Preacher (and Coffee Class) at St. Paul's on October 18**

The Rev. Isaiah "Shaneequa" Brokenleg is an enrolled member of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe (Sicangu Nation). She is



the Staff Officer for Racial Reconciliation for the Episcopal Church. She is a priest in the Diocese of South Dakota, where she grew up, and the place she calls home. From an academic perspective, Shaneequa has a Masters of Divinity from the Church Divinity School of the Pacific and a Masters of Public Health from the University of Minnesota. Prior to priesthood, she worked as an Epidemiologist and served Indian Country in the Great Lakes region for over a decade.

From a cultural/spiritual perspective Shaneequa believes that we are all related (“mitakuye oyasin”), and that the Gospel calls us to be “good relatives” to one another. Having grown up on the Rosebud reservation she has experienced and witnessed the devastating effects of

historical/generational trauma, colonization, and racism. As a winktè (Lakota two-spirit), she is called to be a healer and move our communities in the direction of positive change, in the direction of reconciliation, toward living in right-relationship with one another. She strives to live out her calling through her work, our church, her art, and in her life.

Shaneequa will preach on Sunday, October 18, and will join us (virtually) for a Zoom Coffee Class afterwards, at noon.

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## Keeping Pledges Current

The COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted nearly every routine, but we here at St. Paul's remain committed to our mission and are striving to be resourceful, creative, and steady in our proclamation of the Gospel and caring for our community. Although the building remains closed, our ministry continues and depends on your support. Contributions can be mailed to the church at 1444 Liberty St SE, Salem 97302, or you can donate online by visiting [www.stpaulsoregon.org](http://www.stpaulsoregon.org) today.

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## Children and Youth

# FAITH @ HOME

### St. Paul's Children & Family Ministry

**October 18 at 11:30 a.m.**

So far we've learned about the story of Creation and The Sign of the Covenant in the story of Noah. Join us next week as we look at The Ancestor of a Multitude in the life of Abraham. Even though we can't physically worship and learn together, we can still draw closer to Jesus Christ. This fall we will be participating in a new collaboration between the Forma and Forward Movement ministries of the Episcopal Church "This is NOT Sunday School." Children and their grown-ups are invited to gather together virtually as we encounter God and engage with the Scriptures. Each week we'll explore a different biblical and theological topic. Can't make it on Sunday mornings? No problem! Register to access the materials for the week whenever it works best for you and your family. This course is intentionally designed to be accessible and engaging for people of all ages. Read more and register [here!](#)

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### SPY Poinsettia Fundraiser

Orders for Egan Garden's poinsettias will be taken throughout the month of October. Pricing



for the plants is as follows: \$15(1-4 plants)  
\$14(5-9) \$13(10-19) \$12(20+) Color options: Red,  
White, Pink, Burgundy, Jingle Bells(glitter).  
Please indicate the number of plants and what  
color plant(s) you would like when ordering.  
Payments can be made by check or cash to the  
office or online at [www.stpaulsoregon.org](http://www.stpaulsoregon.org),  
please select the Poinsettia Fund in the drop-  
down menu. Plants will be available for pick-  
up on December 6th. All monies raised will  
benefit the children and youth ministries of St.  
Paul's Episcopal Church.



**Contact Amy**

Goerger [amygoerger@stpaulsoregon.org](mailto:amygoerger@stpaulsoregon.org), to place your order today!

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### St. Paul's Youth

You are loved and you are missed! SPY Fall Fun-  
day! Sunday October 18. Reserve your spot now  
and brush up on your pumpkin carving skills for  
our in-person fall harvest gathering, this Sunday!  
In order to ensure the proper safety precautions  
are being observed and to reserve your spot for  
this event please register by email to  
[amygoerger@stpaulsoregon.org](mailto:amygoerger@stpaulsoregon.org).



### St. Paul's Halloween Drive Boo & Trick or Treat



The entire family will love St. Paul's "Drive  
Boo & Trick or Treat" event. Join us on  
Saturday, October 31, between 4:00 p.m. and  
5:00 p.m. for a safe Halloween experience.  
This event will take place while the sun is  
still up, with guests safely in their vehicles,  
and allow for Trick or Treating at socially-  
distanced candy stops.

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### Permission Forms

Parents and guardians please complete a 2020-2021 Annual Permission form for each child (birth-18) participating in activities (online and in-person) with St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Click [here](#) to complete the form now!

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### Children's Bulletins

Here are some fun ways for children to engage with the scripture readings each week. The bulletins may be printed off and games accessed online.

- [Ages 3-6 Paying Taxes to Caesar](#)
- [Ages 7+ Paying Taxes to Caesar](#)

There is a secret code on the front cover page that is unique to our church and allows SAFE and secure access to online games to reinforce the message for the week. The games are geared toward all age levels so everyone can join in the fun!

**Step 1:** Print the age-appropriate bulletin with a secret code on the front.

**Step 2:** Enter the secret code at [Games.ChildrensBulletins.com](http://Games.ChildrensBulletins.com)

**Step 3:** Pick a game and play!

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### **Salem for Refugees Fundraiser, November 13**

St. Paul's is a proud community partner with Salem for Refugees, helping resettled people make Salem their new home. In support of their work, Father Andy has agreed to recruit attendees for their annual fundraiser, which this year will be online (via Zoom) on Friday, November 13, at 4:30 and 7:00 p.m. (choose the time that works best for you). The 30-minute program will include music, storytelling, and joy. There is no cost to participate, but generous donations are encouraged. For more information or to sign up as part of the St. Paul's contingent, please email [fatherandy@stpaulsoregon.org](mailto:fatherandy@stpaulsoregon.org).



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### **Upcoming Blood Drive**

The blood drives at St. Paul's continue to be a success and we thank those that have been able to participate. The next available drive will be held in Steinberg Hall on Tuesday, October 27. Please visit [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org), search for our events using sponsor code "St Paul" or search by zip code 97302, and schedule your appointment today!

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### **Wildfire Relief Support**

[United Way of the Mid-Willamette Valley](http://UnitedWayoftheMid-WillametteValley.org) is organizing donations, volunteer needs, and relief funds to help support those affected by the wildfires and evacuations. Please visit the UW website for current information about donations, volunteers, and collection locations. For clergy help, please contact St. Paul's at [pastoralcare@stpaulsoregon.org](mailto:pastoralcare@stpaulsoregon.org).

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### **COVID Relief Resources**

Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Agency/ Marion & Polk County - Rent Relief MWVCAA – ARCHES is announcing a Rent Relief program for Marion and Polk County residents. If you or someone you know is experiencing difficulties with past due rent or utilities as a result of a COVID emergency then MWVCAA might be able to help.

Eligible payments include rental/ utility assistance, and security deposits.

Please review the attached flyers for more information:

[English Version](#)

[Spanish Version](#)

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### **Food Bank Donation Updates**

St. Paul's has been a long-time proud supporter of the Marion-Polk Food Share program. Unfortunately, because our building is closed for the time being, we are unable to accept donations at the parish until further notice. However, you can take donations directly to their site at [1660 Salem Industrial Drive, NE](http://1660SalemIndustrialDriveNE), Monday-Friday, between 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Especially in this time of increased economic anxiety for many families, your generosity is needed and appreciated.

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**This Week's Birthdays**

**OCTOBER 15**

Eric Martz  
Lee Murray  
Felix Samiee

**OCTOBER 16**

Kay Rosevear

**OCTOBER 18**

Graeme Bandfield

**OCTOBER 20**

Sarah Mack  
Susan Miller  
Gary Pederson  
Erich Schmidt

**OCTOBER 21**

Selah Dutra

**Pledge Now**

**CONTACTING ST. PAUL'S CLERGY:** Clergy can be reached by phone or email. If you need their contact information, call the St. Paul's office between 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., Monday through Thursday, 503-362-3661. Leave a message and we'll respond as soon as we can. You can also reply to this email and we'll let them know.

**SUBMISSIONS:** If you have an announcement for the weekly email or bulletin, please send a text to [stpauls@stpaulsoregon.org](mailto:stpauls@stpaulsoregon.org) by **Wednesday at 10 a.m.** for it to be included in the week's edition.

**ONLINE PRAYER REQUEST FORM:** [We have an online prayer request form available on our website.](#) You can click the link above to submit a name. You can also navigate to that page by visiting [stpaulsoregon.org](http://stpaulsoregon.org) and click "Church Forms" on the homepage, then click Prayer List Request.

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